

INSTRUCTIONS FOR SCREENING SRS MEDICAL CHECKLIST

PURPOSE:

The SRS Development Coordinator will use this checklist to identify and qualify, or disqualify, any prospective SRS candidates from participating in SRS screenings and physical conditioning if those SRS candidates have chronic or medical conditions which would preclude them from entering the USN SRS Training Program as delineated in MANMED P-117, Sections III and IV.

PROCEDURE:

The prospective SRS Candidate must complete the Medical Checklist For Prospective Surface Rescue Swimmer Candidates questionnaire by indicating “yes” or “no” by circling the appropriate response. The MSC Medical Representative or the SRS Development Coordinator will review the completed questionnaire and add any additional comments to any of the “yes” responses. The candidate’s visual acuity will also be documented on this questionnaire.

If all answers on the questionnaire are “no”, and the candidate’s visual acuity meets MANMED standards, then the candidate is considered qualified to participate in the SRS Program “Try-Outs”.

All “yes” answers on the questionnaire must be addressed with comments by an MSC medical representative, and a decision to proceed with training will be based in accordance with the guidance in MANMED P-117.

Both the prospective SRS candidate, and the screener must sign the questionnaire.

This screening will not replace the physical examination and review necessary to enroll in the MCS SRS program. This screening is a tool used by MSC to determine the eligibility of prospective SRS candidates.